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TRACHOMA

Did you know that Kentucky is one of four states of the United States that is painted black on the health map for Trachoma? Is this not a blow to our state pride?

Trachoma is a very old disease, called by some "granulated lids," "sore eyes," etc., and is communicable or "catching" from one person to another.

Those who have it can in most cases be cured and the longer it lasts the more damage will the eye ball receive. As in some cases without treatment the disease seems to get better and the eyes feel so much improved that the patient imagines he is cured, but sooner or later it will start up again even worse than before.

When Trachoma begins the eyes feel as though a cinder, dust, sand, or other substance had gotten into them and usually these things are blamed for the eyes getting sore. It is this constant irritation often described as cutting, that causes the eye ball to become red and painful. Ulcers appear and a new growth is formed over the pupil, and the patient is liable slowly to become blind. While the pain and redness, and discharges may cease for a time the disease is almost sure to return unless treated.

Persons who have the disease should observe the following rules taken from a bulletin of the State Board of Health of Kentucky:

1. Apply at once for treatment to the nearest hospital dispensary, or to your physician.
2. Follow all directions of the doctors and nurses as to treatment and prevention.
3. Do not stop treatment until you are cured.
4. Wash the face and hands several times a day and keep the finger nails clean.
5. Have your own wash basin, soap and towel.
6. Boil your handkerchiefs before adding them to the wash.
7. Do not allow your clothing or bed clothes to become soiled with the discharges (pus) from your eyes.
8. When your eyes are discharging pus collect the discharges on cloths which can be burned, and stay away

from members of your family as much as possible.

9. Sleep alone and with the window open.
10. Keep your home clean and have large windows to let in fresh air and sunshine.

There will be presented to the Kentucky legislature during the session of 1918 a bill requiring the annual examination, certainly of the eyes and ears, probably also of the noses and throats, of school children in Kentucky. Already 17 states require one of these tests. Some of them tests for eyes, ears, throats and noses. Surely Kentucky with its justly deserved reputation for diseased eyes, will not fail to follow the lead of these states.

What are the people going to do for their children that were inspected last term and pronounced suffering from this dreadful infectious disease? The local board of health has passed a resolution making it compulsory that every child who has it be treated before they will be allowed to enter school in the fall. There is about five weeks left in which to have it done. Get your certificate show your teacher.

MARIAN SAGER, R. N.

Closed Under Flying Colors.

Forbes' Six Big contests were brought to a close Saturday, Aug. 12, at 6 p. m. Announcement of the winners in the various contests will be made promptly at 3 p. m., in front of their main office on Thursday, Aug. 17th, and the prizes will be awarded then and there.

These contests were a success from every standpoint. Each and every contestant is very much inclined to the belief that he is the winner. It has been a battle royal from the start to finish.

A list of the winners will appear in Friday's issue of this paper.

There are more strikes now in the ball parks than in factories.

FARM FOR SALE

My farm of 65 acres two miles south of Hopkinsville, including crop, live stock and implements. Immediate possession.

J. McHENRY TICHENOR.

TEACHERS' INSTITUTE

For Christian County Met
Yesterday With Attendance of 100.

McDOUGLE IS INSTRUCTOR

Will Hold Two Sessions
Daily For Five Days.

The Christian County Teachers' Institute opened its session here yesterday morning at the High School building, with one hundred teachers present. County Superintendent L. E. Foster opened the session with an address of welcome, after which he turned over the meeting to Professor McDougle, of the Eastern State Normal School, at Richmond, who will conduct the institute. Mr. McDougle outlined the work and announced that Miss Virgie Nourse would be his co-worker.

Carl Williams was made secretary of the institute.

A musical program, led by Mrs. Foster, added to the program of the morning.

Miss Nourse spoke yesterday morning on "The Importance of Primary Education." The meeting was adjourned for dinner but resumed at 1:30 o'clock. Miss Nourse spoke in the afternoon also. Prof. McDougle and Miss Nourse make the lectures introducing the subjects for consideration, after which a general discussion is opened.

The meetings will be held daily until Friday afternoon.

The hours are from 8 to 12 and from 1:30 to 3.

PRESS TRIBUTES TO

JUDGE J. T. HANBERY.

The death of Judge John T. Hanbery last Sunday at his home in Hopkinsville was learned in this county with great regret. Judge Hanbery was, so far as years go, in the prime of manhood, but he succumbed to an attack that medical skill could not overcome. He was serving his second term as Circuit Judge of the Hopkinsville district, and his decisions on the bench had attracted state-wide notice.

In addition to his erudition as a lawyer and a judge, Judge Hanbery possessed a loveliness of private character that drew friends all the closer to him. He was a consistent member of the church and an enthusiastic worker in the cause of the Blessed Master.

He bore his sufferings with fortitude, and the end brought relief from bodily ills. He will be long missed by the friends he had tied to himself with hooks of steel.

To the writer of these lines his passing was deeply felt, for the friendship that began in early manhood continued until the temporary parting. May the God of all of us comfort those he has left behind.—Bowling Green Messenger.

Judge J. T. Hanbery, judge of the Third Judicial district, died at his home in Hopkinsville last Sunday night, aged about 49 years. Judge Hanbery had served six years as circuit judge and was re-elected last November for a second term. He was very popular in Western Kentucky, and said to be one of the best judges of the state. He was well known by many of our people, having visited La Center on several occasions.—La Center Advance.

Judge Hanbery was loved and esteemed by every citizen of Lyon county that knew him. It is often said of him, "He is the best judge we ever elected."

Many of our citizens went to Hopkinsville Tuesday to attend the funeral.—Eddyville Herald.

State of Ohio, city of Toledo, ss.
Lucas County.
Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he is senior partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co., doing business in the City of Toledo, County and State aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of HALL'S CATARRH CURE.
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BOY ON WHEEL RUNS INTO AUTO

Strikes Side of the Car and
Is Seriously Injured by
The Fall.

Major Shadoin, 15 years old, son of John Shadoin, manager of Shadoin & Company Horse Shoeing establishment, was painfully injured when he ran into the automobile of Dr. H. C. Beazley Sunday afternoon at about half past three. Yesterday the boy was resting well. One rib was broken and minor internal injuries are feared by the attending physicians.

Dr. Beazley was going to his office to fill an engagement when the accident occurred. He was turning in Eighth street from Main and Major Shadoin and two other boys, his age, were coming down Main street. The two other boys turned out from the car. According to the statement to the statement made by the boy to Chief of Police Ellis Roper Sunday afternoon, his cap fell down over his eyes and prevented him from seeing where he was going. He tried to put on his coaster break, but it failed to work and he ran into the side of the fender of Dr. Beazley's car, smashing the front wheel of his bicycle and breaking the light on the car. The boy was thrown on the fender.

Dr. Beazley took the boy to the office of a physician where the wounds were treated and later he was removed to his home.

Mrs. Beazley was in the car when the accident took place.

SOMETHING WORTH WHILE.

"You say that fellow in the limousine is a popular author?"

"Yes."

"Look at him! Rolling in luxury, and I daresay his books are not worth reading."

"You shouldn't be hard on him. He still has ideals."

"Nonsense!"

"He says that after he turns out one more 'best seller' he expects to write a book that hardly anybody will read."—Birmingham Age-Herald.

WOMAN IN BUSINESS.

The Banker—The new bonds will be issued in different denominations. The Woman—In that case you will please get me the Baptist bonds, as that is the denomination I belong to.

WILL GROW.

"What you said about Jack isn't worth repeating."

"It's young yet; give it time!"—Philadelphia Record.

PRACTICED ART.

"They say this aviator is a good football player, also."

"He certainly ought to know all about a flying wedge."

ITS USE.

"The alligator can go six months without eating."

"Just the pet for a poet."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

THE LOGICAL REASON.

"You don't need any capital for this pantomime."

"Why not?"

"Because money talks."

In Doubt.

"I gave my wife a fine little dog," remarked the inconsequential looking man.

"Does she like the dog?"

"I'm not sure. The first thing she did was to name it after me and the next was to tell the servant to keep it shut up in the basement."

Practice Versus Theory.

The head of the Boston Health school says the danger of getting germs from kissing is all tommyrot. Thus does experience wallop theory out of the ring.—Omaha Bee.

Beats "Whispering Gallery."

Appropos of the secret session in the British parliament, the extensive ventilation chamber which passes beneath the house of commons was recently mentioned as a place where a large number of persons can comfortably hear every word spoken in the chamber above. The tunnel was once crowded to its fullest capacity, and that was on the historic occasion of Mr. Gladstone's speech when the first home-rule bill was introduced.

Father has all the best of it. He seldom gets caught by the quarantine regulations that make mother a prisoner.

ORDERS

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may be given Mr. E. C. Radford. Mr. Radford will take orders for any of our brands including our pure Raw Bone Meal, and also Duplex Basic Slag, a new 18 per cent. Phosphoric Acid Lime Fertilizer at same price as 16 per cent. Acid Phosphate.

Mr. Ed Wilkins will represent us in the northern part of the county, but orders in his territory may be also given Mr. Radford if more convenient.

We think most every one should try at least a few bags or tons of the Basic Slag for his own information. Both Mr. Radford and Mr. Wilkins will furnish information and literature about this new lime, or Alkaline Fertilizer.

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KENTUCKY CROP REPORT

Issued By the Department of
Agriculture August 5th,
1916.

The generally dry and extremely hot weather during the month of July, as shown by the crop reporters, give the condition of growing crops as fairly good and a chance to be greatly benefited yet by good rains. Insufficient showers have fallen in some localities and complaint is made of heavy hail and wind storms damaging crops. The late corn can yet make a good crop if we get a good general rain. The same is true of the tobacco crop. Pastures are reported in fairly good condition. The condition of corn as reported on July 1st was 87 per cent. and shows on August 1st at 90 per cent.

Estimating the yield in bushels per acre on a ten-year average, the wheat yield this year is given at nine bushels and in some instances of inferior quality. The Hessian fly damaged the wheat greatly and in some localities only give an average of three bushels.

It is estimated oats will make an average of 17 bushels and rye ten bushels.

The acreage of Burley tobacco is given at 92 per cent. condition at 88

per cent. while dark tobacco acreage shows 93 per cent. condition at 90 per cent. The condition of hemp is given at 96 per cent.

Grasses are generally good, clover being given at 92 per cent., orchard grass at 91 per cent. Cow peas and soy beans are both given at 90 per cent.

The State average of the second cutting of alfalfa is given at one and one-half tons per acre. The present condition of alfalfa shows at 85 per cent.

Garden conditions show at 89 per cent. while potatoes are given at the same.

The condition of live stock is very good and but little or no disease is reported as being prevalent. Some hog cholera exists in localities. Reports give the condition of live stock as follows:

Horses	94 per cent
Cattle	95 per cent
Hogs	97 per cent
Sheep	92 per cent

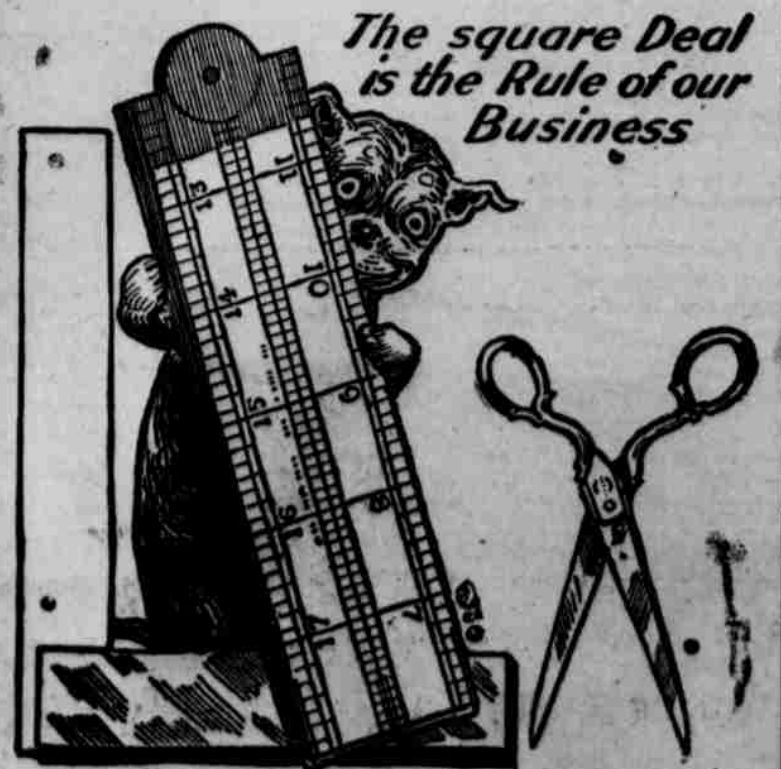
The condition of poultry is reported as follows:

Chickens	92 per cent
Turkeys	84 per cent
Ducks	88 per cent

We have very poor prospects for fruit. Apples will not make one-half crop. Peaches show a condition of 65 per cent. Pears 62 per cent. and grapes 86 per cent.

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